

### Liquor Aboard Aircraft Hit By Legislator

Assembly Bill 3737, which is now known as Chapter 954, is a new law which permits the serving of alcoholic beverages on airplanes with meals only, and at no charge in addition to the price of the ticket for passage on the airplane. I voted "no" twice on this bill when it came on the floor of the Assembly during the regular 1955 session of the California State Legislature. The bill was refused passage when it first came on the floor but the author of the bill succeeded in getting reconsideration which accounts for the fact that there were two votes on the same bill.

Each time the bill came on the floor, I not only voted "no," but I also spoke vigorously against passage of the bill, basing my opposition on several points, one of which is that it is an old tradition in the aircraft industry to prohibit bringing liquor on airplanes or drinking during flight, for passengers or crew. Also, it has been a violation of the Civil Aeronautics Authority regulations for many years for any pilot to be intoxicated or permit any of his crew or passengers to be intoxicated during a flight. I think that both the tradition and the Civil Aeronautics Administration regulation on the subject are good and should be maintained, not contradicted by a State law of California.

**Refuses to Take Off**

Recently the newspapers reported that the pilot of one airliner refused to take off because so many of his passengers were intoxicated. This was his legal right under the Civil Aeronautics Administration regulations and I understand that he was fully sustained by the airline which hires him even though that airline serves drinks to flight passengers. Some airlines, however, tell me they are afraid to speak against the new California State law because they might be disciplined by their employers, but many of them have told me confidentially that they did not take the jobs with the intention of becoming bar maids—that they resent their new responsibility for serving liquor to passengers in flight.

When the bill came on the floor of the Assembly, I raised this point but could not give names or addresses of the stewards who had written to me against the bill because the revelation of their names would be a breach of confidence. However, I did emphasize that pilots, co-pilots, and stewards had written to me that they wanted the bill killed.

**Bill Was Lobbied**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the so-called liquor lobbyists were behind the bill. I believe that one airline and only one airline actively lobbied for the bill. Two representatives of that airline were personally antagonistic to me whenever they met me in public and openly said that their antagonism was based upon my stand against their drinking bill.

If you agree with me that California should not permit the serving and drinking of intoxicating liquor aboard any airline in flight, please write to the ground, then write to me, giving me your name, address and occupation, with permission to quote you in public on the subject. Send all mail to Post Office Box 777, Inglewood 5, California.

Letters to the Governor

Ordinarily we cannot repeal the airplane drinking law until the regular session of 1957, but if enough people write to the Governor and their own Assemblymen and Senators, then the Governor might be induced to put the repeal of the law on the agenda for the special session to run concurrently with the Budget Session of March, 1956.

**Drive-In Theater Burglarized Here**

Theater tickets, valued at \$108 were taken Friday night when the Roadman Drive-In Theater, 2500 Redondo Beach Blvd., was burglarized, police reports indicate.

A theater official said after the entry that 26 ticket books, each worth \$3 and 1000 Gold Bond stamps were taken in the night raid.

Police reports state that the burglary pried open a till in the theater box office in getting the loot.

The "Pontiac Twins" sell for less than \$1988

Our Price—\$6 Pontiac V-8 dr. delivered

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500 Pacific Coast Hwy.—Hermosa

OPEN THANKSGIVING DAY

### Nearly 600 Join Guard During Two-Month Period

Nearly 600 Southern California youths—591 to be exact—joined Southern California's 40th Armored Division between Sept. 1 and Oct. 31, it is revealed recently.

Major Gen. Homer O. Eaton, Jr., commander of the war-famed Southland National Guard organization, said most of the new enlistees are in the "critical" age bracket under new reserve legislation, 17 to 18½ years.

In addition, 42 reserve officers also have signed up in the two-month period. Most of these, he explained, are veterans of either World War II or the Korean conflict.

Of the new recruits, a few decided to take advantage of a new National Guard program which permits them to take eight weeks fulltime training at a Regular Army training center, then return to their home units. Some of these men, said General Eaton, are currently engaged in their concentrated training course at Ft. Ord.

**Many In Camp**

A much greater number, said Eaton, have indicated a preference for the six months training plan. This procedure, set up under new reserve legislation passed during the last session of Congress, permits a 17-to-18½ year old youth to join a National Guard or reserve unit, then volunteer for six months fulltime training. This shortens the length of his total military obligation by as much as three years. In addition, he may postpone the six months active duty period to prevent interference with his education, as long as he starts the fulltime training prior to his 20th birthday. Nine are currently engaged in the six-months program at Ft. Ord.

The 40th now has nearly 6500 members, five times its strength in September, 1952, when it reorganized in Southern California following service in Korean combat.

Its goal in "Target Ten Grand," current recruiting drive, is 10,000 men and officers by next August, when it will engage in its fourth post-Korea summer encampment. One before, in mid-1950, the 40th's strength passed the 10,000 mark.

**Highest In History**

Total strength of the National Guard now stands at approximately 425,000, Eaton further explained, "the highest point in its history."

"We haven't reached our ceiling yet, either," Eaton said. "New reserve legislation now in effect provides several advantages to young men joining the 40th. Our recruiting will show still further gains as young men of Southern California become acquainted with these benefits."

He cited the 40th's 53 modern armories and the latest in Army weapons and equipment for training purposes, and the time factor (youths joining the Guard now can put behind them a large portion of their required military service prior to graduation from high school) as two key benefits of Guard service.

As an additional benefit, Eaton cited the comparative pay scales. A youth who chooses to undergo six months fulltime training will receive the regular pay for his National Guard grade (that's \$85 for a private).

### Col. Hinckley Given Award

Lt. Col. Frank O. Hinckley, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Hinckley, of 24103 Hawthorne Ave., received an award recently for his outstanding ground safety record at Ellington Air Force Base, Tex. Air Force authorities have announced.

Col. Hinckley received a \$100 award for his record. He is the commanding officer of the 3606th AOTS.

He has been stationed at the Texas base for three years. His wife, Bernice, is a head nurse at a Houston, Tex., Veterans' Administration hospital.

The couple has two children, Michael, 10, and Patricia, 8.

### California Bank Ups Interest Rates Jan. 1

California Bank will increase to 2 per cent the interest rate on all savings accounts beginning Jan. 1, 1956.

The increase comes as a result of the general firming of interest rates throughout the country during the past year plus the ability of the bank to keep savings more fully employed, Frank L. King, president of California Bank, said. The new rate will apply to savings of any size.

**STADIUM**

SUN. MON. TUES. GARY COOPER in

"THE REAL GLORY"

— and —

DANNY KAYE in "THE SECRET OF WALTER MITTY"

**Man Escapes Injury As Car Forced Off Street**

A Torrance instructor at Compton College escaped injury last Monday when his car, forced off the road at Alameda Ave. and Carson St., slid through a flooded shoulder and smashed into a pole.

Gordon Pond, 33, of 2750 Lot...

**Recorder Taken**

A \$40 tape recorder was stolen from the office of Narbonne High School, 25425 Narbonne Ave., school officials told sheriff's deputies recently. The thieves gained entrance by breaking glass in the office door.

**Accessories Taken**

A \$3 aerial and \$12 hub caps were stolen from his car as it was parked in front of his house, Allan Schwartz, of 18316 Kingsdale Ave., told sheriff's deputies recently.

**HIGH BRIDGE**

The bridge at Cleveland, Kentucky is 250 feet above river level and 1,736 feet from shore to shore, probably the highest continuous steel-deck bridge in the United States.

Get set for an Old Fashioned Thanksgiving with...

# TURKEY

...From **SAFEWAY**

Double protection for you! New crop young turkeys at Safeway, inspected for wholesomeness; graded for quality by licensed U.S. Government experts! Safeway guarantees every bird USDA GRADE A, eviscerated and oven-ready, to roast juicy, tender, golden brown!

**TOMS** ALL SIZES lb. **43¢**

**HENS** ALL SIZES lb. **49¢**

**FRESH OYSTERS** CAPTAIN'S CHOICE Top quality Pacific Northwest oysters 12-oz. jar **59¢**

**PORK SAUSAGE** IN VISKING CASING From pure Eastern Grain Fed Pork 1-lb. roll **49¢**

**CANNED HAMS** DUBUQUE BRAND 10-lb. can **6.98**

**SLICED BACON** WILSON'S TENDERMADE 6-lb. can **5.39**

**GROUND BEEF** SWIFT'S PREMIUM OR RATH'S BLACK HAWK 1-lb. cello pkg. **49¢**

IN CLEAR VISKING PACK Safeway's exclusive lean beef formula! lb. **39¢**

**BUY of the WEEK**

**Roxbury**

Chocolate Covered **CHERRIES**

Fancy maraschino cherries in rich fondant! Deliciously coated with dark or milk chocolate. Handsomely boxed for gift-giving or attractive on-the-table display.

**Special Feature** 1-lb. box **57¢**

**Roxbury Peanut Clusters** 1-lb. bag **57¢**

**MRS. WRIGHT'S BREAD**

Fresh sliced white or wheat

standard loaf **17¢** large loaf **25¢**

NOT SLICED Ready to Use large loaf **25¢**

Available Tuesday and Wednesday only

**Skylark Bakery Specialties**

**BUTTER GEM ROLLS** Fresh Baked pkg. of 5 **22¢**

**PAN ROLLS** Just like home model pkg. of 12 **19¢**

**FRENCH ROLLS** Sour dough Brown 'n Serve! pkg. of 6 **27¢**

**LUCERNE EGG NOG**

Made from Grade A milk and cream, sugar, egg yolks, spices, vanilla, artificial rum flavor, U.S. Certified color and vegetable stabilizer. Smooth, quart carton **59¢**

**TEA TIMER CRACKERS**

The new style party snack cracker in the exclusive stay-fresh packets! Get a box for appetizers, cheese treats, etc. 1-lb. box **29¢**

**RITZ BRAND CRACKERS**

Freshly baked by National Biscuit Company. Delicious with salads, soups, and holiday snack treats. 1-lb. box **29¢**

**Thanksgiving Shopping List**

**LARGE PITTED OLIVES** EBONY RIPE 7½-oz. can **30¢**

**GOLDEN YAMS** ROYAL PRINCE 17-oz. can **25¢**

**REYNOLDS WRAP** ALUMINUM FOIL 21" width 25' roll **25¢**

**WEAVER FOIL** ALUMINUM WRAP roll **25¢**

**POULTRY STUFFING** CUBBISON BRAND 16-oz. pkg. **59¢**

**READY MIX STUFFING** BELL'S BRAND 6-oz. pkg. **18¢**

**VACUUM PACKED CORN** HIGHWAY BRAND 12-oz. can **15¢**

**MONTE CRISTO WINES**

Private Stock quality! An excellent wine to enhance your holiday cooking; to serve to guests with pride!

**Sauterne or Burgundy** 5th gal. **67¢**

**Grenache Rose Wine** 5th gal. **59¢**

# COFFEE

EDWARDS 1-lb. can **75¢**

Many rich coffees blended to bring you the one richest flavor for pennies less a can! All grinds

**NOB HILL** AROMATIC Tastes as good as it smells! 1-lb. bag **69¢**

**AIRWAY** BRAZILIAN Mild, mellow, and satisfying! 1-lb. bag **67¢**

**GRADE A BUTTER** DAIRY GLEN 1st Quality, Pasteurized 1-lb. ctn. **59¢**

**LIBBY TOMATO JUICE** 18-oz. can **10¢**

**FRESH EGGS** CREAM OF THE CROP MEDIUM "AA" 1-doz. **49¢**

**CRANBERRY SAUCE** OCEAN SPRAY Whole or Strained style 16-oz. can **19¢**

**ICE CREAM** COTILLION GUEST. Catering grade ice cream of incomparable quality! Serve with confidence; pleasure! 2 pint ctns. **45¢**

**FRUIT CAKE** HOLIDAY Over half nuts, fruit 3-lb. ring **1.49**

**LIBBY PUMPKIN** 16-oz. can **9¢**

**LIBBY PUMPKIN** CURTISY Finest ingredients 14-oz. bar **79¢**

**LIBBY PUMPKIN** 29-oz. cans **25¢**

# CELERY

lb. **5¢**

UTAH TYPE. Use in stuffing, soups, as appetizers. Crisp, thick-meated stalks.

**VELVET YAMS** Locally grown lb. **7¢**

**MUSHROOMS** Large pt. cup **29¢**

**CRANBERRIES** Cape Cod lb. **17¢**

**CHESTNUTS** Use in Stuffing lb. **39¢**

**BEL-AIR PREMIUM QUALITY FROZEN FOODS**

**RASPBERRIES** Luscious Kind! 10-oz. pkg. **23¢**

**BROCCOLI SPEARS** Firm, Tender! 10-oz. pkg. **21¢**

**SLICED STRAWBERRIES** 10-oz. pkg. **23¢**

**GREEN PEAS** Picked and frozen at peak of flavor! 2 10-oz. pkg. **29¢**

**FRENCH FRIES** Heats to golden brown! 9-oz. pkg. **14¢**

**STORES CLOSED THANKSGIVING DAY**

Prices advertised are in effect November 21, 22, 23, 1955. Safeway Stores will be closed Thanksgiving Day, November 24.

No dealer sales. Taxes collected where applicable. Safeway reserves the right to limit quantities.

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